



**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 10/551,266                      Group Art Unit: 2816  
Filing Date: September 29, 2005              Conf.: 3385  
Applicant: Toshiro AKINO                      Examiner: O'Toole, Colleen J.  
Title: LATERAL BIPOLAR CMOS INTEGRATED CIRCUIT  
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Date: August 1, 2008

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.114**

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Panel Decision from Pre-Appeal Brief Review mailed June 4, 2008, the due date for reply extended one (1) month to August 4, 2008, a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) attached hereto and the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. The Applicant desires to withdraw the case from the appeal process and continue prosecution of the claims.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2,

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this Amendment.

	Claims remaining after Amendment		Highest number previously paid for		Present extra
<b>Total</b>	8	-	20	=	0
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